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W. H. Rogers is visiting friends in San Francisco.

Fred Stull, of Chloride, was in Kingman several days this week.

Mrs. William Helmrod, of Chloride, is stopping for a while in Kingman.

Mrs. Flood, of Mineral Park, departed to Goldfield the first of the week.

J. E. Perry visited the branch store of Gaddis & Perry Company, at Yucca, this week.

N. W. Tarr, of the Tarr & McComb company, was in Kingman this week looking after business affairs.

Mrs. Lew Blakely came in from the Ramrod mine a few days ago and is visiting in Kingman with relatives.

C. H. Rose, who beat Philip Lawler with a gun, at Hackberry, one day last week, was bound over to the grand jury at his examination in Kingman last Monday. Bail was fixed at \$1,000.

Fleetwood Bell, at one time a practicing attorney of this place, will be married to Miss L. M. Wagner, on the 11th of this month, at Sayre, Okla. Mr. Bell and his bride to be have the best wishes of acquaintances in this county.

Dr. A. M. Cowie won the ticket to Catalina Island, the drawing of which is one of the features of Lovin & Withers' cash buying arrangements. During the month of June another ticket will be given away to cash customers.

We are advised that the Mohave Valley, under the canal of the Rio Colorado Land and Irrigation company, is fast filling up with a good class of settlers. So far there are about 250 people in the valley and before many months passes by the number will be largely augmented.

Henry Lovin has had a force of men at work the past week on his City Brewery building and has added cool lag rooms and ice house of large capacity. The plant is being enlarged and will have many special features. As soon as possible mains are to be laid from the plant to all parts of town and the people supplied with plenty of pure water.

At Stockton Hill, a distance of more than twenty miles, the blasting for the new Yampal creek channel is heard. The great blasts contain thousands of pounds of powder and ten or twelve shots are fired at one time. When the work is completed an entirely new waterway will have been opened for the flood waters through Truxton Canyon. This work entails an expenditure of a quarter of a million dollars by the Santa Fe railroad company.

The Cyclopic Gold Mining company has cut a road from the mine to a connection with the Dolan Springs road, which shortens the distance to the railroad to about twenty-two miles. The company has been at work laying new pipe line to the spring and has put in a pumping plant to force the water over the divide to the mill. The milling plant has been remodeled and the crushing of ore will soon be under way. A hoisting plant will soon be in operation on the property.

Sheriff Brown is over at Vivian camp this week selling off the personal property of the Mohave Gold Mining company, under an order of sale issued out of the District Court. It is understood that the company purposed a reorganization and the settling up of all indebtedness. The property consists of a forty stamp mill, at Milltown, pipe line and a large amount of other personal property. Monday next the realty of the company will be sold at Kingman. The property consists of the Leland group of mines, at Vivian, some of which mines are said to be very rich. The Midnight mine, of this group, produced ore that milled more than 3½ to the ton in gold and the vein averaged thirty inches in width. The shaft was sunk to a depth of 200 feet and all the ore above that level cut out.

Apples, oranges, lemons and all early fruits are handled by Lovin & Withers. Vegetables and fruits are always fresh and of the best grades.

Murder and Suicide.

Last Friday evening Frank Harper shot and instantly killed Lying Jim, an Indian policeman, in the Mohave Valley, some miles below old Fort Mohave. The causes leading up to the tragedy are stated to be as follows: Harper and his squaw had been having trouble and Pete Lambert, chief of the Mohave tribe, had induced the squaw to leave her husband and take up her residence in his wickiup. Harper made complaint to the policeman and asked that Lambert be arrested for alienating the wife's affections. This the policeman refused to do and Harper was much incensed. He made complaint to Superintendent McArthur, of the Indian school, and Lambert was called in and the two men finally agreed on a settlement, Harper signing a bill of sale of the squaw. The disconsolate husband then armed himself with a rifle and went out on a still hunt after Lying Jim and found him down in the valley gathering wood. Without a word of warning he fired, shooting him through the eye, the man dying without a struggle. Again shooting the man through the body Harper passed up the valley to within a short distance of the Indian school. He sent a note to his sister asking her to meet him, but having heard of the killing the woman refused to meet him. The next morning Harper came into the school and gave himself up. He was placed in the guard house, where during the following night he committed suicide. The deed was done with an old rusty, broken knife, the blade being less than two inches in length and so dull that it appeared to have been a physical impossibility to have done the work with it. The man's head was almost severed from his body, and he must have suffered torture while committing the act. The body of Harper was turned over to the Indians and Sunday it was placed on a funeral pyre and burned to ashes. Frank Harper was a half breed Mohave, his father being Jesse Harper, a white man who had settled in the valley in the early sixties.

Gov. Kibbey, chairman of the territorial republican committee, and E. E. Ellinwood, chairman of the democratic territorial committee, have called a meeting of their respective committees to meet in Phenix on the 27th of this month for the proposed merger of Arizona and New Mexico as states. Every community in the territory is asked to send representatives to enter protest against the consolidation of the territories. The people of Arizona and New Mexico have nothing in common to warrant annexation and congress should heed the protest of the people in the matter. The best people of New Mexico are opposed to the deal and in this territory more than ninety per cent are opposed, and the sentiment against it is still growing. The two territories are big, populous and wealthy enough to make separate states.

Mrs. A. E. Ware accompanied her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hoffman, of Pittsburg, to Los Angeles this week.

The big Mormon dam, about seven miles above St. Johns, burst with the great body of water that came down from the mountain last Tuesday night, and within a short time had swept through the town and down the valley, where it did a vast amount of damage to farms and live stock. The town of St. Johns was but slightly damaged, the water melting down a few old adobe buildings. At Woodruff and other towns in the valley the damage was confined entirely to farms and live stock. The people of Holbrook with their effects had hied themselves to high ground, but when the flood had reached that point its force had failed, owing to the miles of almost flat country the river traversed on its way from the mountains, and only the lower portion of the town was inundated. The loss was very small and the people have already returned to their homes. The damage to the people of the upper Little Colorado is estimated at nearly 400,000\$, and as the people are poor the loss will be severely felt. It is probable that the government will be asked to put in permanent dams in the Little Colorado river valley.

In an interview, a few days ago, President Ripley, of the Santa Fe stated that the company would expend ten million of dollars on the Belin cut off, in New Mexico. This new road will cut out Glorieta mountain and will make an even grade across New Mexico. It is not the intention to cut out the line west of Albuquerque as a through line from the east. The route through Kingman and Needles will be maintained, although it is the intention of the company to make a better grade over the mountains between Seligman and Needles.

Fred W. Morrison went over to Vivian a few days ago, where he looked after legal matters for eastern clients.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Kingman postoffice: Rev. E. H. Mel peth 2, Eusebio Bernal, Bernardo Mayana, Benjamin Toledo, Francisco Ercoto, Juan Calsoda, Matias Martinez.

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Mrs. Lew Haginaw, sister of Mrs. M. E. Cohenour, has accepted a position at the Truxton Canyon Indian school.

The Santa Fe railroad company is building a side track in the Canyon south of Kingman and will drive piling to divert flood waters from the road bed. The company has rip-rapped a large section of track in the canyon and made it safe from future floods. The wooden bridges are to be replaced by granitoid abutments and steel bridges, which will withstand the greatest of floods.

A violation of Arizona's new law prohibiting the carrying of concealed weapons provides a fine of not less than 20\$ nor more than 30\$, and imprisonment in the county jail for not less than ten days nor more than thirty days.

Nobody keeps 'em, they all sell 'em, Elk & Duchess cigars.

Lovin & Withers have just opened up one of the largest lines of men's furnishing goods ever brought to Mohave county. The counters and shelves of the big store are crowded to overflowing and everybody should take a look at the display and make their purchases while goods are new and fresh.

Growing Aches and Pains.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremond, Texas, writes, April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in her knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, very good success. 'It is the best liniment I ever used.' 25c, 50c, \$1. For sale at Watkin's drugstore.

Decoration Day Excursion Rates.

The Santa Fe railroad company will sell round trip tickets on account of Decoration Day at the following rates: Between any two stations on the system, for one full fare. Tickets are to be on sale May 29 and 30, good returning until May 31.

WHY DOES HE LIKE IT?

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SANTA FE IS THE WAY

Lovin & Withers will give away one free trip to Catalina Island every month during the summer. Patrons making cash purchases will be given tickets in a drawing to be held about the first of each succeeding month and the lucky one gets the ticket. The first drawing will be held in May.



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Half-ground Coarse Salt, 100-lb bags..... each, 25c; 10 for \$2.25; ton for \$4.75
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